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Looking Them Over

By Jack Kelly

French Fists Fly

Title Contender

New Mile Post

LAST night Promoter Freddy Owsen had signed contracts in his pocket for his next pro fight card and it shapes up as the most interesting card of them all to date. The main event sees Louis Laviolette against Eddie McSporean for 10 rounds, while the semi-final sees Gordon Grayston tackle Sailor Goodland for six rounds, both events being billed as eliminations leading to the western Canada middleweight championship made possible by the new Boxing and Wrestling Federation. This card, which was originally planned for January 26, will be held over until February 2 in view of the present amount of sickness in the city.

In Laviolette, the Flashing Frenchman, pro boxing here will get a new and colorful fighter. This coming battle will be his pro debut, and he does not think for a minute that *Wrestling Louis* has not hit his eye, teeth yet in the break-busting business. He has the distinction of having won the Dominion weight and middle-weight amateur championships and of having fought for Canada at the Los Angeles Olympic Games. Furthermore, he has practically lived with gloves on his hands in the last few years while acting as instructor at the Y.M.C.A. gym.

Edmonton never produced an athlete who took a more thorough and religious care of his physical condition than Laviolette does. When he steps into the ring here on the night of February 2, Eddie McSporean will be facing the toughest fighter he has yet encountered—a fighter who will be willing to fight to bring the fight to him. The Flashing Frenchman makes a specialty of taking the fight to his opponent with a rush that never stops. Although the battle is nearly two weeks distant, the own is already better about it than it has been about a title engagement for a good many years. With the added incentive that he will be right up among the top contenders for the western Canada middleweight crown, it is a "natural" that should draw a capacity house.

He's Pounding the Boys Around

RIGHT now Laviolette is rapidly nearing top fighting form. He is going through 10 and 12 rounds of work every day in the gym, the last three being devoted to rope skipping and footwork. When you see a fighter polishing off his workout with skipping you can gamble that there is not very much wrong with his condition. What sparring partners can do to a fighter is to get him into the habit of getting into the ring and fighting. Laviolette has been getting into the ring and winning, then he has a lot of top graduate partners in the Olympics. Then he has started recently here in Edmonton, and he has been getting into the ring of the stuff Eddie brought back with him from England and his first invasion of the United States. He used to have a style as wide open as a garage door. Now he keeps his body covered up neatly and has developed a saving in-fighting attack that would be difficult to counter.

In the meantime McSporean is working daily to perfect his defence against the impending French attack. He is also spending long hours in an effort to get more dynamite into his punches. When he finally goes in against Laviolette, he should be a greatly improved fighter.

While this main event is holding most of the spotlight just now, the semi-final has the earmarks of being an equally rousing affair. Grayston makes the recognized Alberta middleweight champion in the veteran Louis Goodland. If Grayston can get enough of a win, then he will be "nails at one in a position where he must be figured as one of the leading contenders for the title. If the Sailor can scuffle Grayston, then he will have a chance of his championship against the winner of the Laviolette-McSporean bout.

The Championship Picture

JUST at the moment all angles of the new western Canada middleweight championship picture are not clear. Whoever comes out on top of the eliminations here will have to dispose of Stanley Huperville of Tisdale, Saskatchewan, as contender. If Huperville wins, then he will have to face Battaglia, who was ranked as a contender by the Western Federation on the nomination of the Manitoba Commission. However it now appears that the card for the championship will be between Grayston and the winner of western Canada fighting. That he is an American citizen, has to be dropped as a western contender. This will leave only Huperville, who should be definitely established, and the winner of the battle between Vancouver has not yet nominated a middleweight contender.

It accordingly begins to look as though we may have a recognized western champion for the first time within the next few months. It will be a milestone in Canadian history that should be gold-mined.

Vic Weber Comes Here On Friday to Oppose Weaver

Cincinnati Matman Makes First Appearance—Cazell Meets Kuess

A bit of welcome news came to us last night to Mike Cutler, local wrestling impresario, promising him, besides Indian like Cazell and Klem Kuess, that the Weaver will be the main attraction of the semi-windup attraction of the C. and P. Matman, which will be the main event attraction in most of the city.

The newcomer, named Vic Weaver, who will meet Weaver, hail from Cincinnati and has a record of 10 wins and 10 losses. He has many of the top-notchers in the States and has been in the main event attraction in most of the city.

In Weaver he meets one of the greatest and fastest grapplers who ever wrestled here. Weaver has become a great favorite with local fans with his polished and dazzling capers in the ring. The match should be a good one.

The headline event between Kuess and Cazell has long been expected and was looked upon as inevitable by all of the fans of the great

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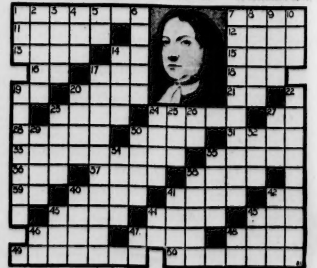
—By William Ferguson



The name "bacterium," meaning staff, or stick, was given to the class of organisms when only the rod-shaped type was known. The three classifications are known as Bacilli, or rod-shaped, Spirilli, or spiral-shaped, and Micrococci, the spherical, or near spherical forms.

Pioneer Colonist

| HORIZONTAL | Answer to Previous Puzzle | 9 Low tide. |
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| 1. 7 Quaker | 1. 7 Quaker | 10 To doze. |
| 2. 11 Settler in North America. | 2. 11 Settler in North America. | 11 Intellect. |
| 3. 11 Strong vegetable. | 3. 11 Strong vegetable. | 12 Circulated air. |
| 4. 15 Olive shrub. | 4. 15 Olive shrub. | 13 He was — by birth. |
| 5. 15 Bird's home. | 5. 15 Bird's home. | 14 Long tooth. |
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| 8. 17 To emulate. | 8. 17 To emulate. | 17 To drive. |
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| 10. 20 To ward off. | 10. 20 To ward off. | 19 To accomplish. |
| 11. Musical note. | 11. Musical note. | 20 Hall! |
| 12. Ground. | 12. Ground. | 21 Feet in a frame. |
| 13. Semi-diameters of circles. | 13. Semi-diameters of circles. | 22 Those who fight duels. |
| 14. Inborn. | 14. Inborn. | 23 Certain. |
| 15. Fatal mischief. | 15. Fatal mischief. | 24 Intellectual. |
| 16. Measure of area. | 16. Measure of area. | 25 French soldier. |
| 17. To concede. | 17. To concede. | 26 Victorious. |
| 18. Fodder vat. | 18. Fodder vat. | 27 To tip. |
| 19. Cavern. | 19. Cavern. | 28 Quantity. |
| 20. Earth measurement. | 20. Earth measurement. | 29 Drying apparatus. |
| 21. Discharged. | 21. Discharged. | 30 French coin. |
| 22. Kind. | 22. Kind. | 31 Luck in mud. |
| 23. Learning. | 23. Learning. | 32 Man in political office. |
| | | 33 Fragrant valdia. |
| | | 34 eucrocin. |
| | | 35 Morindin dye. |



BULLETIN COMICS
The Cream of All Cartoonists
BEST IN THE WEST

by Nard Jones
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"I rather that you don't consider either of the two women could be depended upon—as what older fashioned word—a chameleon?"

"I think everything's all right," Julia stumbled on. "It's just that I—I don't like the idea. They've been drinking a good deal too."

Payson tapped out the ashes of his pipe, carefully pushed it over them with the toe of his boot. "I know as none of my business," he said. "But how did a sensible girl like you manage to get in over her head this way?"

Briefly Julia told him how she

had come to accept George Woodford's invitation on the Wood Nymph. She had neither Smith

Nymph. She had hardly finished when Payson broke in. "You know," he said, "I think I have

Sonnysays

By Fanny T. Cory



Payson.

"He shouldn't do it," she whis-
pered to herself. "He—"

She turned back on the path
leading toward the water again.
Then, softly and unthinkingly, she
heard the chugging of the outboard
motor on her boat. It was too late
to reach him now.

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As she reached the porch of the
lodge she saw the glow of a cigarette.
It was Clara Lee's, and the
dancer regarded Julia with un-
feigned interest.

"So you took a run-out powder
on the party?"

"—I had a little headache," lied
Julia lamely. "I hope I'm not late
for dinner."

"Dinner?"

The Lee girl laughed.

cynically. "They've forgotten all about dinner. I think they decided

E - By Bo Brown

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"Tie him up with some of that spaghetti!"

The Doughboy

A cartoon illustration of a man sitting in a chair, looking surprised or shouting, with a dog standing next to him. A sign above the man reads "WATCH YOUR HAT AND COAT". The scene is set in a room with a patterned curtain in the background.

That Old Southern Hospitality

WHEN I SAW THAT THEY
WANT A DOLLAR AND A HALF
FOR A HAM SANDWICH AT
NIGHT CLUB WE WERE
SLIPPED OUT TO THE
EASY SPOON TO GET US
HOME FOR FIFTEEN CENTS.

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THAT'S WHAT THE MANAGER SAID—SO HE ASKED US TO WAIT TILL YOU COME BACK. HE WAS VERY NICE. HE BOUGHT US A SANDWICH AND PROMISED PINKEY A JOB AND DROVE HER HOME IN A TAXI.



The Fling

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Jack Anticipates a Thrill

HOW WONDERFUL - TONIGHT WE CAN WATCH THEM GAMBLE AT THE CASINO -

THAT'LL BE A REAL THRILL FOR ME

THE HAMMOND PRINCE ANCHOR AT VILLE - FRANC HE DIE EDWARD AND HIS PARTY ENJOY HUSLEY ASHORE

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It's a Go

SOLITELY
WE'D
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BUT IF THEY THINK WE'RE COVER-UP, THEY MIGHT LEAK OUR PLANS.

OHAY! TAKE A LEAVE OF ABSENCE JUST TILL YOU GET YOUR HEAD TOGETHER.

POLICE RECORDS

His First

THE PURPLE CROWS ARE PUTTING THE HEAT ON THE NATIONAL BRANCH BANK. TOMORROW MORNING AT 11 O'CLOCK, NOW WHAT MORE CAN I DO?

ating Sweetie

OKAY. PAT GO DOWN THERE AND MAKE AN ACCURATE SKETCH OF THE SHAKEN FLASK. BUT DON'T LET ANY OF THE GUARDS KNOW THEY'LL JUST GIVE YOU THE BUCKLE AND MEET THE PEOPLE CHOOSING ON THEIR OWN TERMS.

—Lt. Dick Calkins

His First String Sweetie

GET MONEY - BUT THAT'S BARNY - I'M OVER IT!

HOWLING JOOPERY! WHAT CRUZY BARNY IS THAT? MOULD THOSE HOOK TENSION WHIPS BY A QUARTS WANDERB AND - OH MY WEAK HEAD - WHERE COMES TROUBLE, I CAN JUST FEEL IT!

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